

Angus, Robert William

Sept 1916-May 1917

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Toronto September 22/16

President Falconer,  
University of Toronto.

Dear President Falconer:-

In accordance with my promise during the summer, I am enclosing a cheque for Forty Dollars for the Canadian Coll. Missionary Movement. This contribution is made on the understanding that the Movement accepts it on account of my financial obligation at the time of my resignation, and is not to be regarded as a general contribution.

My salary will not permit me to give any more just now, but I would esteem it a favor if you would state how much more you think I should pay to entirely clear any liability I may have, and I shall endeavor to clear it up as soon as possible. You may remember that my original letter left the matter in your hands.

I regret to have given you so much trouble over this affair.

Yours sincerely,  
Robert W. Angus.



September 23rd, 1916

Professor R. W. Angus,  
University of Toronto.

Dear Professor Angus:

I have just received your cheque for \$40.00 towards the Canadian Colleges' debt, and note what you say as to its being on account of your financial obligation at the time of your resignation, and is not to be regarded as a general contribution. It appears to me to be a very generous offer.

I myself have withdrawn from the organisation but I am undertaking to raise a certain amount of money to remove the indebtedness. Of course your contribution will go to the debt apart from anything that I may send in.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.



UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO  
FACULTY OF APPLIED SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

TORONTO, CANADA

Oct 12th 1916

President Falconer,  
University of Toronto.

Dear President Falconer:-

On Sept 28th I sent you the name of Wm Cartwright as Fireman in the Thermodynamics Building. He left last night so that his appointment need not be considered, although he will have to be paid for work done.

Under present conditions the only possible thing is to allow me to put a man on, when there is a vacancy, as the conditions in the labor market are such as to prevent definite appointments. I secured Robert Palmer in place of the other man, but do not know how long he will stay.

May I say that the Superintendent's demand of 50¢ for a key for these men causes very much annoyance, which we can little afford to give at present. Exactly the same result could be obtained by giving the man a key with the warning that if it was not returned when he left, 50¢ would be deducted from his last pay. I wish this could be arranged

Yours sincerely

Robert W. Angus



UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO  
FACULTY OF APPLIED SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

TORONTO, CANADA Nov 9<sup>th</sup> 1916

President Falconer  
University of Toronto-

Dear President Falconer:-

I send you herewith an account for \$7<sup>30</sup> which I trust you can honour. This is in connection with the trip which I took to Niagara Falls and St Catharines in connection with the visit to the power houses and Welland Canal. I had charge of the parties, and did not intend taking the time at the Canal, but found that no other member of the staff was there and was almost compelled to go along.

The trip was for purely educational purposes, in connection with my hydraulics lectures, and the hotel fare was necessitated by my having to spend a night at the Falls in order to get the men out to the plant at De Cew's Falls, near St Catharines, this being one of the finest plants for our purposes, to be seen anywhere

Yours sincerely

Robert W. Angus



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TORONTO, CANADA

Expenses to Niagara Falls and St Catharines  
Nov 2 and 3/1916

Railroad Fare	—	\$3.65
Hotel at Niagara Falls		2.50
Car Fare	" "	.25
Bus Fare St Catharines		.40
Lunch	"	.50
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		\$7.30

Robert W. Angus

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November 23rd, 1916

Professor R. N. Angus,  
University of Toronto.

Dear Professor Angus:

I am sending you three cheques for the  
University Settlement, one for \$300.00 from Beardmore and Company,  
37 Front Street East. You might send a reply to the Company,  
made out to Alfred O. Beardmore, Esq.

The other two cheques are for one hundred  
dollars each, and acknowledgment of both cheques should go to Mr.  
J. W. Millar.

Yours sincerely,

President.



December 2nd, 1918

Professor R. W. Angus,  
University of Toronto.

Dear Professor Angus:

I am sending you the lease for the Settlement signed. I assume that the clause referring to the separate plumbing in each building will not involve us in any difficulties. That simply means that the plumbing is to remain as it is which we have no intention of changing.

Yours sincerely,

President.



December 27th, 1916.

Professor Angus

Faculty of Applied Science & Engineering

University of Toronto

Dear Professor Angus:

I am sending you a letter which I have just received.  
I told the writer that I would send it on to our professor  
of Water Power.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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January 18th, 1917

Professor R. W. Angus,  
Treasurer, University Settlement.

Dear Professor Angus:

I am sending you two cheques, one for \$200  
and one for \$100, the former from the Union Stock Yards and the  
latter from W. D. Matthews, Esq.

Yours sincerely,

President.



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April 21st, 1917

Professor P. W. Angus,

University of Toronto.

Dear Professor Angus:

I am sending you a cheque for \$250.00 from the Honourable Senator Micholls on behalf of the Canadian General Electric Company. I have acknowledged it and there is no need of your writing to him further.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.



May 28th, 1917

Professor R. J. Angus,  
University of Toronto.

Dear Professor Angus:

I am very sorry that Mrs. Angus had to stand in line so long on Saturday waiting for admission to the Fall. I am afraid that many other ladies connected with the staff had to endure a similar unhappy experience. The place is not Mr. Fretner's. It is my own. I did not think until it was too late to ask that a special kind of ticket should be set aside for ladies of the staff who had not the special reserved cards, but it is little comfort, I recognise to say that I have taken note of the matter so that it may not escape my memory on the next occasion.

With regard to those who held the white tickets I have simply to say that these are kept for those connected with the Cabinet, the Senate, Board of Governors, Heads of Colleges, Deans of Faculties, Board of Control, a very few senior members of the staff together with a few benefactors of the University. That these may sometimes exchange their tickets is probable, but it is not in our power to prevent this.

You will also recognise I am sure that on an occasion such as the visit of Mr. Fallour the University has a duty to a larger public than its own, and that it is necessary for us to send reserved tickets to representatives whom we must choose to the test of our ability, often I recognise in a somewhat arbitrary way.



I always look forward with more or less concern to such an occasion as Saturday because there is certain to be a chorus of discontent afterwards, even when we have endeavoured to satisfy the various needs as impartially as we can.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.



